School Health Education A.S.

School Health Education is a professional field in which certified educators convey health information to students of public or private elementary, middle, and secondary schools. This field is expected to grow because of recent initiatives and policies enacted to address the increasing number of school age children and adolescents afflicted with chronic diseases, such as asthma, diabetes, and obesity. School Health Education at BMCC is Co-Coordinated by the Health Education and Teacher Education Departments. Training in school health education will give you the knowledge and skills necessary to develop, implement, and evaluate lesson plans that address the multiple dimensions of health. This preparation enables school health educators to effectively promote health and prevent disease among children, adolescents, and other populations.

Certifications and Professional Development

Microsoft Office Professional
Social Media for Business
Professional Writing

These and other Certifications and Professional Development options offered by the Center for Continuing Education and Workforce Development.
www.bmcc.cuny.edu/ce

Professional Organizations

American Association for Health Education
American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance
AAP Council on School Health

Helpful Career Links

BMCC Career Center
www.bmcc.cuny.edu/career

Internships and Experiential Learning
www.bmcc.cuny.edu/experiential

Health Education and Teacher Education
www.bmcc.cuny.edu/academics/programs/school-health-education-she

Career and Salary Possibilities*

Education Program Manager
($39,000–$87,000)

Youth Program Specialist
($31,000–$63,000)

Health/Wellness Coordinator
($29,000–$62,000)

Healthcare Programs Manager
($46,000–$101,000)

Head Start Health Specialist
($43,000–$51,000)

Youth Outreach Coordinator
($34,000–$47,000)

Wellness Consultant
($29,000–$91,000)

Physical Education Teacher
($30,000–$70,000)

Teacher
($25,000–$70,000)

Health Promotion Coordinator
($33,000–$62,000)

* Career and Salary Possibilities are not guaranteed. Additional education, training or experience may be required and salary ranges may vary depending on location, industry and education level. Career and salary data provided by Career Coach.